# Yashoda's Vision

#### he

### **▶** pronoun

• Refers to a male person or animal already known, e.g. He is the man I saw yesterday; Do you know who he is? He is Mahatma Gandhiji.



## she

#### **▶** pronoun

 A female person, e.g. She is my friend; I asked Mary, but she said that she didn't know.

## me

## **▶** pronoun

 Myself; the direct object of a verb, e.g. This is a photo of me; Can you hear me? Come with me; It wasn't me! This book belongs to me, It was given to me.



## be

## ▶ verb [be, being, been]

1. To exist/happen, e.g. Be quite; Be still; How can it be? When will the meeting be? Thank you for being quiet; It has been a long time since I saw my friend.

#### we

#### **▶** pronoun

• The speaker and at least one other person, *e.g.* We are going to the shops; We are listening to the radio.



#### evil

### **►** adjective

1. Morally corrupt, unpleasant, not nice, e.g. Kamsa was an evil King; Kidnapping Sita was an evil thing to do; Nice people do not do evil things.





## zebra

## **▶** noun

• An African animal like a horse, with black and white stripes, *e.g. Did you see the zebra running?* 

## repeat

## ► verb [repeat, repeating, repeated]

• To do or say again (and again), e.g. Please repeat that, I didn't hear; He kept repeating himself, over and over again.



A television program shown after its initial presentation; a rerun, *e.g. This is* 

a repeat, I have seen this cartoon before.





#### even

- **▶** adjective
  - 1. Flat and level, *e.g. The balance scale is even.*
  - 2. Divisible by two, e.g. Four, fourteen and forty are even numbers.
  - 3. Including, also, e.g. The test was so hard that even the smartest student in the class could not pass; He didn't even stop to say hello; Even his mother says that he is evil.



## Steven

- ▶ proper noun
  - A boy's name.

## evening

- **▶** noun
  - The time of the day when it starts to get dark, e.g. We eat dinner in the evening; What are you doing this evening?



## Sweden

## ▶ proper noun

• A country in northern Europe; e.g. This is the flag of Sweden; Can you find Sweden on the map? Sweden is in between Norway and Finland.



#### secret

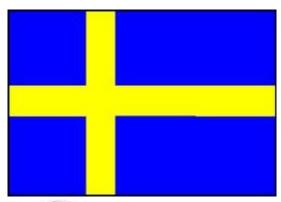
#### **▶** noun

 Knowledge that is hidden and intended to be kept hidden, e.g. Can you keep a secret? Don't tell anyone, it is a secret; She told me a secret about how to get Krishna's love.

## **▶** adjective

• Being or kept hidden, e.g. We went down a secret passage; The stories about Krishna and the Gopis are secret, we do not tell everyone.







## tepee

#### **▶** noun

• A cone shaped tent used first used by the tribal people of the USA.

## Peter

- ▶ proper noun
  - 1. A male given name.



## these

- ► determiner / pronoun
  - Plural form of this, e.g. These chips are making me thirsty; These books are dusty; These are my friends.

## complete

## ▶ verb [complete, completing, completed]

To finish, e.g. He completed the assignment on time; I am still completing the project; How long will it take you to complete your homework?

## **▶** adjective

1. With nothing missing, whole, e.g. This puzzle is not complete, one piece is missing; My life will be complete once I buy this new television; She offered me complete control of the project; When I am

with my family I feel complete

#### concrete

▶ noun / adjective

Made of cement; a building material, e.g. The workers are making a concrete footpath; The office building had concrete flower boxes out front; The road was made of concrete.

#### Pete

▶ proper noun

Short form of the male given name **Peter** or female given name **Peta-Lee**.

#### Steve

▶ proper noun

Short form of **Steven** and **Stephen**.

#### Eve

▶ proper noun

1. A girl's name.

2. The day or night before, usually used for

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holidays, e.g. It is traditional to celebrate the New Year on 31st January as New Years *Eve*; *Christmas Eve is* the night before Christmas.

#### theme

- 1. Subject, e.g. *I* want you to write something on the theme of festivals.
- 2. A repeated idea or pattern, *e.g. I chose the flower theme for my phone* screen.
- 3. A fun park, a permanent fair, e.g. Disney land is a theme park







#### extreme

## **▶** adjective

 Excessive; intense, e.g. He has an extreme aversion to needles, and avoids visiting the doctor; His extreme love of cricket makes him forget to do homework; Dangerous sports are called 'extreme sports'.

## joke

## ▶ verb [joke, joking, joked]

• A riddle that makes people laugh, e.g. What do you call a fly without wings? (A walk); I didn't mean what I said — I was only joking.

#### **▶** noun

• A laughable thing or a worthless thing or person, *e.g.* Your effort at cleaning your room is a joke; The president is a joke; Don't take it seriously, it was a joke!







#### broke

## ► verb [break, breaking, broke, broken]

• Simple past of break, e.g. He broke my pencil; He sat on the pencil and it broke.

## **▶** adjective

• Lacking money, e.g. I have no money left, I am broke; Nobody came to the shop so it went broke and closed down; I don't want to go with you to the fair because I am broke so I can't buy anything.



## **▶** noun

Grey coloured gas that comes from burning things or from factories, *e.g. I* saw smoke coming from the house then *I* knew it was on fire.

## ► verb [smoke, smoking, smoked]

 To inhale and exhale the smoke from a burning cigarette, cigar, pipe, etc, e.g. He's smoking his pipe; Do you smoke?







## spoke

- **▶** noun
  - 1. The sticks that make a wheel, e.g. How many spokes are there on this wheel; The spoke of my bicycle broke.

## ▶ verb [speak, speaking, spoke, spoken]

1. Simple past of speak, e.g. Did you speak to him? Yes, we spoke yesterday; At his birthday party he spoke about how happy he was to see me; In the assembly the principal spoke about the children's bad behaviour

#### woke

## ▶ verb [wake, waking, woke, woken]

• Simple past tense of wake, e.g. When he woke up his hair was messy; Was it me who woke you? Last night, my baby work up 3 times.

#### awoke

## ▶ verb [awake, awakening, awoke, awoken]

• (uncommon) Simple past of awake, e.g. When the baby awoke from his sleep, he began to cry.

#### note

#### **▶** noun

1. Something written on a small piece of paper, or written to help the memory; e.g. There are many notes on my fridge door; I left him a note to remind him to take out the trash; Please make a note of what I am saying; Children, please take notes!









- 2. A piece of paper money; a banknote. e.g. This is a 1000 Rupee note; I didn't have any coins to pay with, so I used a note;
- 3. A musical sound, e.g. Sa, Re, Ga, Ma are notes in Indian music and "Do, Ray, Me, Fa, So" are notes in the Western system of music; Please try to sing the right note!

#### vote

## ► verb [vote, voting, voted]

• A democratic process where everyone's opinion is counted, *e.g.* We are going to the polling place



to vote for our local M.P; At political rallies, politicians make promises so that people will vote for them.

## bone

#### **▶** noun

 Part of the skeleton humans and animals, e.g. The head bone

of humans is called 'skull'; Have you ever broken a bone? If the bone is broken, the doctor will put plaster on it.



#### cone

#### **▶** noun

1. An icecream cone or a shape like an ice cream cone, e.g. Do you want your icecream in a cone or a cup? I have a party hat in the shape of a cone.

2. The fruit of a

pine tree e.g. We roast pine-cones on the fire and eat the seeds.

3. An ice cream cone e.g. Would you like your icecream in a cone or a cup?







- 1. A small, rounded piece of rock. e.g. Stones are rounder and smoother than rocks; We can say that Shaligram Shilas are a kind of stone, but Goverdhan Shilas are a kind of rock.
- 2. A gemstone, a jewel, *e.g.* Your ring is very beautiful, what kind of stone is it?
- 3. A unit of mass equal to 14 pounds. 1 stone  $\approx$  6.3503 kilograms, e.g. He is a very fat man, he must be at least 15 stone!





#### shone

## ► verb [shine, shining, shone]

1. Simple past tense and past participle of 'shine', e.g. *The sun shone through the window and woke me up*.



#### throne

#### **▶** noun

1. The special seat of a king or queen, *e.g. The king was sitting on his throne.* 



## alone

## **▶** adjective

• By one's self, solitary, e.g. He was sitting alone on the beach.



## **atone** ▶ verb

• To fix or be sorry for a mistake or crime, e.g. He prayed to god to help him to atone for his crime of putting a bomb on the train; I prayed to God to help me atone for my sins.



#### those

#### **▶** determiner

1. Plural form of that, e.g. Those children should be in class; That is my shirt but those are not my shoes.

### hose

- 1. A soft pipe for water or other fluid e.g. Please take out the hose and water the garden.
- 2. Stockings; pantyhose; worn on the legs in cold weather or with skirts, *e.g. There was a tear in her hose.*



#### nose

#### **▶** noun

• The organ of the face used to breathe or smell, e.g. She has a big nose; My cow has hairs on her nose; The airplane went into the ocean, nose first.







#### rose

#### **▶** noun

• A plant with thorns and beautiful flowers, or the flowers of this plant, *e.g. I like to plant roses in my garden; He gave me a bunch of roses for my birthday.* 

#### chose

## ► verb [choose, chosing, chose, chosen]

• Simple past of choose, e.g. I chose the yellow pencil but now I want the red one too; The teacher chose me to be the class president;

#### close

## ► verb [close, closing, closed]

• To move so that an opening is closed, *e.g.* Close the door behind you when you leave; Please close down the computer.

## **▶** adjective

• Not open, e.g. The shop is closed; Jim was listening to headphones with his eyes closed.





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## suppose

## ► verb [suppose, supposing, supposed]

- 1. To guess, to have an opinion that, e.g. I suppose he will come to see me soon; Do you suppose it will rain today? I am supposing that he finds out, what do you think he will do?
- 2. Used to agree reluctantly to something that you don't want to do *e.g. I* suppose we should go to class now; *I* suppose you can come too; *I* suppose we should go home now, it is getting dark.



#### home

#### **▶** noun

- 1. The house where a person lives with his family, *e.g. This is our family home; Please come to visit us at home.*
- 2. One's native town or country, e.g. Vrindavan is my home town; India is my home.
- 3. The main page of a website; the site's homepage *e.g. Click here to go home (back to the main page).*







#### hole

#### **▶** noun

• A hollow spot or pit, e.g. His car fell into a hole; There's a hole in my bucket; The mouse is in the hole.

#### pole

- 1. A long stick for putting something up high, e.g. The monkey was sitting on the light pole; The electrical poles fell down in the storm.
- 2. The Arctic is called the North Pole because furthest north you can go on the earth.









#### stole

## ► verb [steal, stealing, stole, stolen]

• Simple past of steal, e.g. He stole my book but then I found it in his bag and took it back; A thief stole all our money

#### **▶** noun

• A light shawl, e.g. She was wearing a nice stole.

#### drove

## ► verb [drive, driving, drove, driven]

 Simple past of drive, e.g. He drove me to school yesterday, but today I caught the bus; He drove the car very fast; Krishna drove the cattle through the forest.



#### stove

#### **▶** noun

• A gas or electric cooker, e.g. Please put the pot of milk on the stove; My stove has two gas burners..

## explode

## ► verb [explode, exploding, exploded]

• To destroy violently or abruptly. e.g. The bomb exploded at 10 o'clock; Be careful, there is a danger that the car will explode.



## envelope

#### **▶** noun

A paper wrapper for mailing letters, *e.g.* Please put this letter in an envelope and post it.



## new

## ▶ adjective

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1. Recent e.g. My new car is much better than my previous one; This is a new scratch on my car, it wasn't there before! She is the new kid at school.

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## ► collective noun (does not take 's')

Moisture in the night air that settles on things in the morning, resulting in drops of water being foun on them, e.g. There was a heavy dew this morning, There was dew on the grass this morning; The dew on lotus leaves looks beautiful.

## chew

## ▶ verb [chew, chewing, chewed]

To eat by crushing food with the teeth by repeated closing and opening of the jaws, e.g. Make sure you chew thoroughly, and don't talk with your mouth full! Dogs chew bones and cows chew grass; The girl was chewing on gum.



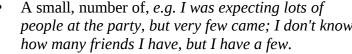




#### few

#### **▶** determiner

A small, number of, e.g. I was expecting lots of people at the party, but very few came; I don't know how many friends I have, but I have a few.









## pew

#### **▶** noun

A church seat; a long bench, *e.g. In many* churches there are wooden pews.



An expression of disgust in response to an unpleasant odor e.g. Pew! That bathroom stinks!



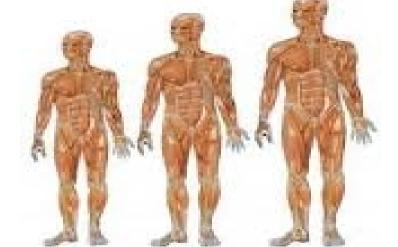
## ▶ verb [draw, drawing, drew, drawn]

The simple past of draw; to sketch an object, e.g. The teacher asked the children to draw a picture of their classroom but they drew the school instead; Who drew that picture?



## ► verb [grow, growing, grew, grown]

1. Simple past of grow; to become bigger, *e.g. My hair grew one centimetre this month; I* grew a tulsi plant but it dried up in summer; When he went to school, he suddenly grew taller; He grew up in America.



#### crew

## **▶** noun

Staff of a ship, boat, airplane or film, e.g. If you need help, please contact a member of the crew; The crews of the two ships got into a fight; This is the crew of the space shuttle.

#### brew

## ▶ verb [brew, brewing, brewed]

To boil; to cook, e.g. I am brewing coffee; Leave the tea bag in the cup for one minute to let the tea brew.



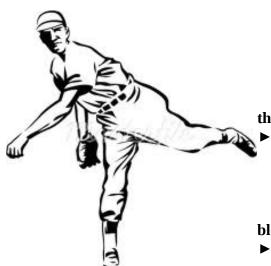
#### screw

#### **▶** noun

• A metal pin for fastening wood etc, e.g. We need to tighten the screws of this table with a screwdriver.

## ▶ verb [screw, screwing, screwed]

• to fasten by turning, e.g. Screw the lid on tight; He screwed the lid on so tightly that I cannot open it.





#### threw

## ► verb [throw, throwing, thew, thrown]

• Simple past of throw, e.g. The bowler threw the ball; He threw the book at me; He threw me out of the classroom; He threw his hat out of the window.

#### blew

## ► verb [blow, blowing, blew, blown]

• Simple past of blow, e.g. The paper blew out of the open

window; She blew out the candles.







#### flew

## ► verb [fly, flying, flew, flown]

• Simple past of fly, e.g. The bird flew out of the window; The wind blew the papers and they flew out of the window; We flew to Calcutta on Jet Airways.

#### stew

#### **▶** noun

• A thick soup, e.g. We are having carrot stew for dinner.

## Andrew

- ▶ proper noun
  - A male given name.

## mildew

#### **▶** noun

• Mold found on damp walls, books etc, e.g. There was mildew on the wall; This shirt has being ruined by mildew.





#### renew

## ► verb [renew, renewing, renewed]

• To make new again, e.g. I need to renew my library book.

## **Matthew**

- ▶ proper noun
  - A male given name.

## walk

## ► verb [walk, walking, walked]

• To move on the feet, e.g. I walk the dog every morning; Will you walk me home?

## **▶** noun

• A trip made by walking, e.g. I take a walk every morning; It's a long walk from my house to the library



#### talk

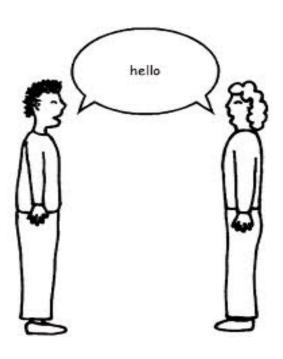
## ▶ verb [talk, talking, talked]

To communicate by speaking, e.g. They are talking to each other; I want to talk to you.



## stalk

- noun
  - The stem, the long stick on a plant where leaves come out, e.g. Cook the leaves and the stalks too.



**▶** verb

 To approach slowly and quietly in order not to be discovered when getting closer, e.g. The tiger was

stalking the rabbit; Police officer! That man is stalking me!



## chalk

- **▶** noun
  - for drawing and for writing on a blackboard, e.g. I need a piece of chalk; Where is the chalk? This chalk broke, do you have a bigger piece?



## yolk

- **▶** noun
  - 1. The yellow part of an egg that is surrounded by the white, *e.g.* The yolk of the egg contains the food for the chick.



